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UK Status:
Numbers declining

World Status:
Least concern



Currently not at risk of becoming Extinct in the Wild

Name	Brown Hare	
Scientific name	<i>Lepus europaeus</i>	
Habitat (what they live in)	Grassland, heathland and moorland, farmland, wetlands, woodland	
Diet (what they eat)	Grasses and herbs	
Lifespan	2-4 years	
Length	50-70cm	Weight 2-5 Kg
When to see them	All year	
Act for Wildlife	Support your local nature reserve and report any signs of hare coursing	
Interesting fact	The European hare is the fastest land mammal in the UK!	

